

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

In order to provide, as a lighting means for a pixel including a driving TFT and an EL element, a driving device of a light emitting display panel which can dissolve respective technical problems which occur in cases where respective constant voltage driving and constant current driving techniques are adopted, a light emitting power holding capacitor C2 is connected in series to the driving TFT (Tr2) and the EL element E1. A diode D1 for charging electrical charges in the capacitor C2 and a switching element SW2 for supplying current to the diode D1 are provided. By an ON operation of the switching element SW2 both ends of the capacitor C2 is subjected to a charge operation so as to become equipotentials. By an OFF operation of the switching element SW2, driving current flows in the EL element E1 via the driving TFT (Tr2). The amount of current flowing in the EL element E1 is controlled by the repeat frequency of ON/OFF of the switching element SW2.